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DOROTHY LAMOUR — CONFUCIUS

won easily on both occasions; first, the American Home Achievement Medal at the San Francisco Show, and later as Best Flower in the Show at the San Mateo Garden Fiesta. The plant is a medium tall grower and the giant blooms are produced on long, strong, graceful stems. It is a free and an early bloomer. In the picture above, Confucius is the lower flower. We had not intended to introduce it this season, but have been prevailed upon to do so, and so are releasing the limited stock of it that we have.....**\$20.00 Net**

**DOROTHY LAMOUR**—Straight Cactus. True orange. This dahlia is of a color that we have been wanting for a long time and are especially pleased in that it has come in cactus form. It will not grow larger than 9 or 10 inches in diameter but is a very deep flower and has a very full deep center. We know of no other dahlia that has greater charm. It will bloom early and abundantly through the whole season on a tall strong-growing plant. At the San Francisco Show it won the Sunset Medal and also as Best 3-Year-Old. Dorothy Lamour is the upper flower in the picture above .....**\$15.00 Net**

**YOTO**—Informal Decorative. Amber yellow with shadings of pink. This dahlia was sent to us from Japan and as far as we know no one else in this country has it. It has proven to be one of the finest varieties we have ever seen, a rugged grower yielding quantities of extremely large perfect blooms. The flower is of unusual formation with many narrow curling petals, very full and deep. It won for us as Best Twelve Blooms at the San Francisco Show. **\$15.00 Net**

For further information on our new introductions for 1941, we would refer you to Col. R. T. Eddy's Roll of Honor in December "Flower Grower" and Mr. J. W. Johnston's "Dahlia Futurity" in January "House Beautiful."

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## 1941

### Ballay Dahlia Gardens

4309 El Camino Real  
PALO ALTO, CALIFORNIA

#### OUR NEW INTRODUCTIONS

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**CONFUCIUS** — Semi-Cactus. Oriental red (bright coral red). A dahlia of so bright and striking a color already has many points in its favor on the exhibition table for color alone. When in addition the form of the flower is ideal and it has size to compete with the very largest, it is a sure winner. Entered in competition but twice, this new variety



## LIST OF NEW PRICES FOR 1941



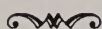
### *Dahlias of Our Own Creation:*

<b>ACHIEVEMENT</b> —S. C. Gold with bronze shadings. Large and deep. A fine old variety.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>AZURA</b> —I. D. Rosy lilac with a bluish violet sheen. Blooms up to 14 inches. Best in this color range. Many times a winner .....	<b>\$1.50</b>
<b>BOSPHORUS</b> —I. D. Burnt orange. Rare color and very reliable .....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>CADET</b> —S. C. Light primrose. Graceful flower .....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>CALIFORNIA IDOL</b> —I. D. Lemon yellow. Famous the world over. Very large with every good quality. One of the truly great dahlias .....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>CALIFORNIA PEACH</b> —S. C. Bright coral or peach. Good record.....	<b>\$1.50</b>
<b>CALIFORNIA ROSE</b> —I. D. Clear bright rose. Large and good.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>CHARLES G. REED</b> —I. D. Petunia red. Old but still good.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>CORONADO</b> —I. D. Bright rose magenta. Beautiful variety that should be more widely grown. Large .....	<b>\$2.50</b>
<b>DON JUAN</b> —S. C. Scarlet orange. Bright and spectacular.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>DRESDEN</b> —I. D. Clear pink lavender. Fine color. Wonderful for cutting.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>ELEGANCE</b> —S. C. Yellow shaded coral. Unusual cut flower.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>EUGENIA BALLAY</b> —I. D. Rich cream. Early and free.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>EVELYN CHANDLER</b> —S. C. Golden apricot. Rare color. Large perfect blooms. A sure winner. New 1940 .....	<b>\$7.50</b>
<b>FAIR ELAINE</b> —S. C. Delicate old rose. Excellent for cutting.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>GALA CALIFORNIA</b> —I. C. Scarlet orange. One of the best cactus. Free and early bloomer that does well everywhere .....	<b>\$2.50</b>
<b>GERTRUDE LAWRENCE</b> —I. D. Light cerise red. Outstanding variety both as to size and color. One of the best .....	<b>\$3.50</b>
<b>GRANDEE</b> —I. D. Light red shaded orange yellow. One of the largest.....	<b>\$1.50</b>
<b>GRAND MARSHAL</b> —S. C. Reddish violet. Large and distinctive. Particularly good in the late season .....	<b>\$2.00</b>
<b>KING COLE</b> —I. D. Deep maroon red. Largest dahlia of very dark coloring. Stands hot weather extremely well. New and outstanding. A real top-notch.....	<b>\$7.50</b>
<b>LELAND STANFORD</b> —I. D. Brilliant cardinal. One of the largest and best reds.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>MAESTRO</b> —S. C. Purple cerise. Very attractive flower of remarkable substance. All good qualities and highly recommended. New.....	<b>\$7.50</b>
<b>MISS GLORY</b> —S. C. Apricot-yellow. One of the very best in this class. Large. Well formed and free blooming. Big winner .....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>MONA LISA</b> —I. D. Purplish maroon. Fine dark dahlia .....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>PACIFICA</b> —S. C. Saffron yellow, light reverse. Very large and spectacular. An unusual and beautiful new yellow. An all-purpose variety.....	<b>\$7.50</b>
<b>PACIFIC SPLENDOR</b> —I. D. Delicate pink shading to white center. Artistic bloom of large size. Prize winner .....	<b>\$1.50</b>

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## *Dahlias of Our Own Creation — Continued*

<b>PALO ALTO</b> —S. C. Salmon shading to gold. One of the best of the older varieties. Fine grower	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>ROMEO</b> —I. D. Bright red. Large and good .....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>SAN FRANCISCO</b> —I. D. Shrimp pink. A giant of great beauty. Rugged grower with extra long, strong stems. As large as any dahlia grown. Hard to beat.....	<b>\$3.50</b>
<b>SONOMA</b> —I. D. Cream and pink. Large and decidedly attractive. First-class in all respects....	<b>\$1.50</b>
<b>STRONGHEART</b> —I. D. Amber-gold. A general favorite because of its color and habits.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>SATAN</b> —S. C. Flaming red, gold center. A great dahlia that is known wherever dahlias are grown. Greatest prize winner of its day.....	<b>\$1.00</b>



## *Good Varieties of Other Growers:*

<b>ADOLPH MAYER</b> —I. D. Maroon. Very dark medium sized flower.....	<b>\$1.50</b>
<b>AMELIA EARHART</b> —S. C. Apricot buff. Very large. One of the best of the older varieties....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>ANNA BENEDICT</b> —I. D. Deep red. A good performer.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>BETTE DAVIS</b> —S. C. Lavender rose. Very pleasing and useful.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>BROOMALL'S PINK</b> —I. D. Bright pink. Lovely coloring.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>CAMEO</b> —F. D. Coral pink. Very good through the whole season.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>CARL G. DAHL</b> —I. D. Old rose and gold. A consistent winner as largest bloom.....	<b>\$2.50</b>
<b>CLARA CARDER</b> —I. D. Cyclamen pink. Good grower.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>CHAUTAUQUA DAWN</b> —S. C. Sunset pink and gold. Most pleasing color and free in blooming. A very fine new variety.....	<b>\$7.50</b>
<b>CHAS. L. MASTICK</b> —F. D. Glistening orange. A perfect formal decorative.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>CHEROKEE BRAVE</b> —I. D. Deep red. A first class dahlia. Good grower, large size, stands difficult conditions well .....	<b>\$2.00</b>
<b>DAI WONG</b> —I. D. Yellow. Large, vigorous grower. Striking.....	<b>\$2.50</b>
<b>DARCY SAINSBURY</b> —F. D. White. Large, full flower that is considered by many the best white to date .....	<b>\$1.50</b>
<b>DAVID COPPERFIELD</b> —I. D. Lilac purple. Massive bloom .....	<b>\$1.50</b>
<b>EAGLE ROCK FANTASY</b> —I. D. Lavender pink. A great favorite. Very large.....	<b>\$1.50</b>
<b>ELIZABETH RETHBERG</b> —I. D. Clear pastel pink. Sensational .....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>GLAMOUR</b> —I. D. Purple with shadings of rose. A consistent winner. Very large.....	<b>\$5.00</b>
<b>GOLDEN AGE</b> —I. C. Amber gold. Excellent free blooming cactus.....	<b>\$1.50</b>
<b>GOLDEN STANDARD</b> —I. C. Amber buff. Fine large cactus.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>GREATER GLORY</b> —S. C. Rose pink shading to cream. Valuable addition to the semi-cactus class	<b>\$1.50</b>
<b>GRANDMASTER</b> —F. D. Deep bronze. Large. Well colored.....	<b>\$2.50</b>
<b>HUNT'S VELVET WONDER</b> —I. D. Cerise purple. Huge flower.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>JEAN BATTEN</b> —I. D. Golden Salmon. From New Zealand.....	<b>\$2.50</b>
<b>KATIE K.</b> —I. D. Lavender pink. Attractive new exhibition pink.....	<b>\$2.00</b>
<b>KOKI</b> —S. C. Oriental red shaded yellow. Great spectacular flower of Japanese origin. Much in demand .....	<b>\$2.00</b>

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## *Good Varieties of Other Growers — Continued*

<b>LOIS WALCHER</b> —I. D. Bright purple tipped white. Medium size.....	<b>\$2.50</b>
<b>LORD OF AUTUMN</b> —I. D. Golden yellow. Very popular.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>MARGRACE</b> —I. D. Bright red tipped gold. One of the most satisfactory.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>MARY RETZER</b> —I. D. Clear lavender. Very good.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>MAYOR FRANK OTIS</b> —I. D. Deep yellow with copper shadings. Doubtless one of the very largest. New 1939 .....	<b>\$5.00</b>
<b>MEGAN CALLAGHAN</b> —I. D. White. Free bloomer. Australia.....	<b>\$5.00</b>
<b>MONARCH OF THE EAST</b> —I. D. Golden apricot. Beautiful color. A giant.....	<b>\$2.00</b>
<b>MOTHER MAYTROT</b> —I. D. Pure white. One of the best whites with all good qualities.....	<b>\$2.00</b>
<b>MOTHERS' DAY</b> —I. D. Creamy white. From Australia. Large.....	<b>\$5.00</b>
<b>MRS. W. E. KNUDSEN</b> —I. D. White. Another good white.....	<b>\$1.50</b>
<b>MRS. GEO. LeBOUTILLIER</b> —I. D. Deep red. Good large red.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>MRS. C. E. WILDON</b> —F. D. Orange scarlet. Unusual color.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>MURPHY'S MASTERPIECE</b> —I. D. Deep red. One of the very largest.....	<b>\$1.50</b>
<b>NORMA MORTON</b> —I. D. Rich yellow shading to orange. Outstanding. The best dahlia from Australia we have seen .....	<b>\$5.00</b>
<b>ONE GRAND</b> —S. C. Canary yellow. Distinctive semi-cactus.....	<b>\$1.50</b>
<b>PAUL BUNYAN'S CHARM</b> —I. D. Bright yellow. Very pleasing.....	<b>\$2.50</b>
<b>PEACE</b> —I. D. White. An artistic flower of good size .....	<b>\$1.50</b>
<b>PINK AMELIA</b> —S. C. Rose pink. A remarkable sport of Amelia Earhart with all the good points of the parent variety .....	<b>\$5.00</b>
<b>PINK GIANT</b> —I. D. True pink. A new variety from Holland and one of the very best of last season's introductions .....	<b>\$5.00</b>
<b>RITA WELLS</b> —I. D. Pale rose and buff. Very large deep flower. Excellent habits.....	<b>\$3.50</b>
<b>ROBERT RIPLEY</b> —I. D. Lilac purple. Massive flower. Well known.....	<b>\$1.50</b>
<b>SEN SIN</b> —I. C. White. Best white cactus. From Japan.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>SHIRLEY TEMPLE</b> —I. C. Soft lavender. Fine new variety.....	<b>\$2.50</b>
<b>SON OF SATAN</b> —S. C. Flame red. Brilliant color. Large.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>SUNRAYS</b> —I. D. Golden apricot with reddish suffusion. Very large and good.....	<b>\$2.00</b>
<b>TOWER'S EMPIRE</b> —I. D. Yellow and amber. Vigorous grower.....	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>WATCHUNG GIANT</b> —I. D. Deep yellow. Very pleasing. A giant.....	<b>\$1.50</b>
<b>WENOKA</b> —F. D. Deep orchid rose. One of the most satisfactory.....	<b>\$1.00</b>

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